

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks presented herein.

The claims in the application are claims 8 and 12 to 14, all other claims having been cancelled. Claim 9 has been deemed by the Examiner to be drawn to a non-elected invention and has been cancelled.

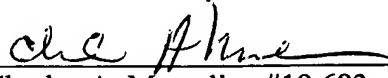
The Examiner objected to the specification as not being clear with respect to the substituents on the nitrogen atoms and Applicants are submitting a substitute application in which the specification has been amended to provide the correct number of hydrogen atoms on the nitrogen and withdrawal of this objection to the specification is requested.

Claim 12 is rewritten in independent form and the remaining claims are dependent thereon and therefore, the claims are in proper form.

In view of the amendments to the claims and the above remarks, it is believed that the claims point out Applicants' patentable contribution. Therefore, favorable

reconsideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,
Hedman and Costigan

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles A. Muserlian", is written over a horizontal line.

Charles A. Muserlian #19,683
Attorney for Applicants
Tel. 212 302 8989

CAM:mlp
Enclosures